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Dear Dr. Caspersson:

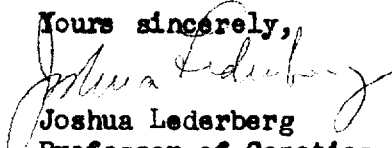
I have just received your airmail of the 1st April.

While I have been most favorably impressed with the quality of Dr. Klein's publications, I have not yet met him, and would be hesitant to offer an opinion on such a weighty decision.

However, I am looking forward to meeting Dr. Klein soon, and to attending the discussion on ascites tumors at the forthcoming session of the New York Academy of Sciences. Since I will then be in so much better a position to comment, may I ask to defer this until about one month from now?

With best personal respects,

Yours sincerely,

  
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Professor of Genetics